IN THE CINCED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: Masaru KIHARA

Group Art Unit: 1745

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NICKEL HYDROGEN SECONDARY BATTERY HAVING

IMPROVED HIGH-TEMPERATURE CHARGING EFFICIENCY (AS

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 October 29, 2007

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated June 29, 2007 for one month(s) from September 29, 2007 to October 29, 2007.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$120.00 for the cost of the extension.

If any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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